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In re application of: Peter Boer, et al.
Serial No.: 10/692,662
Filed: October 24, 2003
For: ANALOGS AND PRODRUGS OF BUPRENORPHINE

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an **Information Disclosure Statement** in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- No fee for additional claims is required.
- A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

(Col. 1)	(Col. 2)		PRESENT	SMALL ENTITY		LARGE ENTITY	
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INDEP. CLAIMS	*	Minus 3*** =		x \$ 43 \$			x \$ 86 \$
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				+ \$145 \$			+ \$290 \$
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- Also transmitted herewith are:
 - Form PTO-1449 (1 page)
 - Other: Reference cited
- Check(s) in the amount of **\$.00** is/are attached to cover:
 - Filing fee for additional claims under 37 C.F.R. 1.16
 - Petition fee for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
 - Other: Basic filing fee, late oath or declaration
- The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.
 - Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check submitted herewith.
 - Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.
 - Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136.

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Examiner: Art Unit: 1642
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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.56**

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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.97, Applicants hereby make of record the documents listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449 (1 sheet) for consideration by the Examiner in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98 (a), the foreign patent document listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 is enclosed. If it is determined that any of the listed references are not presently enclosed, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned so that a copy can be forwarded.

It is respectfully requested that the references cited in the accompanying Form PTO-1449 (1 sheet) be considered and made of record.

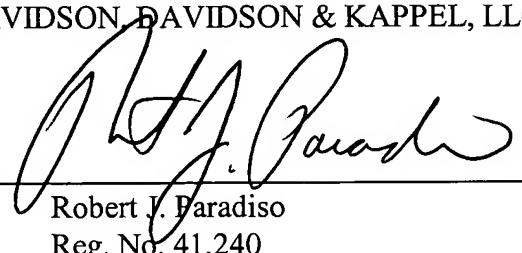
This Information Disclosure Statement is filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 (b), before the mailing of a first Office Action on the merits. Accordingly, no fee is believed due. In the event any additional fee is due or any overpayment made in connection with the filing of this

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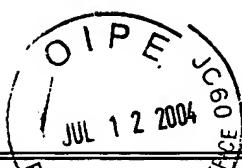
Information Disclosure Statement, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge said deficiency or credit overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 50-0552.

Respectfully submitted,
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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS														
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	AE	5	2	2	5	1	9	9	07/06/1993	Hidaka, et al.	424	443		
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	AK	9	6	1	9	9	7	5	12/24/1994	WO	A61K	9/70	abstract	
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OTHER PRIOR ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)														
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